



The Parish of St Michael, the Archangel, Huntingdon

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Psalter: Week 3

SATURDAY **5th October: Vigil Mass**
18.00 Mass For the people of the parish

SUNDAY **6th October**
09.00 Mass Amelia Chinweokwu
11.00 Mass Krystina Machecek +
15.30 Mass in Polish
18.00 Syro-Malabar Mass

MONDAY **7th October:**
Our Lady of the Rosary
(LS) 09.30 Mass Karen +

TUESDAY **8th October: Feria**
No Mass today

WEDNESDAY **9th October:**
St John Henry Newman
No Mass today

THURSDAY **10th October: Feria**
No Mass today

FRIDAY **11th October: Feria**
No Mass today

SATURDAY **12th October: Feria**
No morning Mass today
Vigil Mass. St Michael's 18.00

Please park in Riverside car park, across the road, not in the streets behind the church. This also applies if you come to evening events in the Church.

SUNDAY COLLECTION: in the orange buckets near the doors & the card reader in the GS Room.

HOLIDAY I will be away on holiday for 10 days, back on **Friday 18th October**. Many thanks to Fr Jim for covering the weekend for me. As he is saying some weekday Masses at St Ives, he will not be able to cover weekdays for me. During rewiring of the house there is no wifi and so no phone, Fr Jim's number is 07742 273197 for emergency.

COFFEE AFTER 9.00 MASS, we need some new volunteers for this event, please come forward

Your prayers are asked for:

Our parishioners who are sick: Martin Ahern, Rita Anand, Peter Ashcroft, Francesca Bastow, Purgi Bloomfield, Pauline Brown, Eileen Dolan, Bridget Gaynor, Molly Hazell, Patrick Moore, Anne McGovern, Paul Reddington, Rita Swann, Fr Ivan Weston. May the Lord reach out his healing hand to them.

For those whose anniversaries occur this week: Christine Smith, Victor Nambergs, Winifred Crook, Joan Roberts, Anthony Lawlor, Cecelia Mulcahy, Giuseppina Crean, Margaret Oliver, and William Masek. May they rest in peace.

Nation Cycle of Prayer: during Ordinary Time from September to Christ the King please pray for the following intentions: the care of creation; the harvest; students & teachers; the spread of the Gospel, especially on Home Mission Day & world Mission Day; prisoners & their families; all Victims of War & all our young people.

If you are going into hospital, please let Fr Philip know so he can visit. We do not always get the names of patients & can miss you if you do not tell us where they are. Thank you.

Last Sunday Collection

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| Huntingdon: | £302.66 |
| Standing Orders | £425.50 |
| Dona | £ |
| Total | £728.16 |

Thank you for your generous support of our parish community.

Retiring collection: this weekend for CAFOD, GA envelopes available today, please remember you can donate via our website on Dona. Thanks

NO COFFEE MORNING this week as there is no Mass.

Thank You!



VERY MANY THANKS to all our parishioners for a wonderful weekend celebration of our parish feast. It was very good to have the Bishop with us over the weekend, I think he was rather taken aback as to how many people were at Mass here, but he was very pleased to see how alive our parish is.

Many thanks for international readings and music and for beautiful flower arrangements. It was very good to see so many people coming for the lunch and such an amazing amount of food of great variety, thank you for coming and preparing the food. Many thanks to all who helped to arrange the food and to clear us the GS Room so quickly in time for the Polish Mass later in the afternoon, a great team effort!!

APOLOGIES, CARD READER OUT OF ORDER, a new one is on order but not here yet. You can still donate online by going to our parish website, www.stmichaelrc.org and click on the Dona symbol.

JOURNEY IN FAITH there is no meeting this week. Next meeting, **Friday 18th October** at 19.30 in the GS Room, each session will last one hour.

REFURBISHMENT of the GS Room is almost complete, the new kitchen has been installed, decoration is not quite complete.

Extensive work in the house has now begun; I will be living in St Ives while the work is done, I have given the phone number of the front of the newsletter.

PILGRIMAGE TO ROME TO CELEBRATE THE JUBILEE OF YOUTH As part of the Jubilee 2025, the Diocese will be leading a pilgrimage to Rome, joining with thousands of young people from all over the world. If you will be age 16 – 30 next summer 2025, come and join us! **Find out more at our Launch Meeting on October 20th** at Newmarket Parish Centre, 14 Exeter Road, CB8 8LT, starting at 12:30 (bring a packed lunch) will end by 15.00. See www.rcdea.org.uk/youth for more details.

CLEANERS THIS WEEK: members of the Filipino community by **Saturday 12th October**. Thanks.

ANNUAL NATIONAL MASS COUNT continues this weekend and takes place to enable the Church to plan for the future and get a picture of how many people are attending Mass throughout the country.

FOOD BANK DONATIONS: our next collection for the foodbank is **Sunday, 6th October**. There will be a box near each door, for your donations. Please bring tins, dried food or toiletries as your donation.

DAY OF PRAYER & FASTING the whole Church is invited by Pope Francis and by his Beatitude Cardinal Pierbattista Pizzaballa, Latin Patriarch of Jerusalem, to worldwide solidarity through a day of prayer of fasting and penance to take place on **Monday 7th October**, the Memoria of The Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of the Rosary. You will all be aware of how crucial prayer is regarding the present volatile situation across the middle east. I therefore urge you to encourage to respond to the Pope and the patriarch's invitation to prayer and fasting.

LISTENING & PRAYER MINISTRY:
<http://rcdea.org.uk/listening-and-prayer/>

May God's blessing be with you and all your family this week.

